

## THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of  
Manfred Ueberschär, et al.  
Serial No.: 09/996,304  
Filed: November 21, 2001  
Title: CURTAIN APPLICATOR

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) Group: 1734  
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) Examiner: Lamb, Brenda A.

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AMENDMENT

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Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated January 17, 2003, Applicants hereby submit the following Amendment.

The following sections are included herewith:

- Amendment(s) To The Claims
- Remarks



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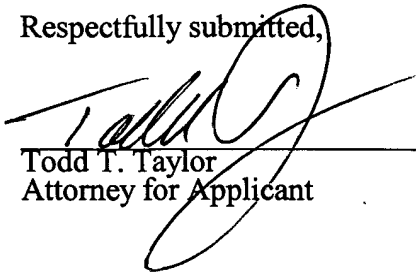
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as follows:

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED                       |   |       |                                       |                  |                  |                   |
|---|---|-------|---------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|
|   | CLAIMS<br>REMAINING<br>AFTER<br>AMENDMENT |       | HIGHEST NO.<br>PREVIOUSLY<br>PAID FOR | PRESENT<br>EXTRA | RATE             | ADDITIONAL<br>FEE |
| TOTAL<br>CLAIMS                         | 21  | MINUS | 23                                    | 0                | x \$ 9<br>x \$18 | 0.00              |
| INDEPENDENT<br>CLAIMS                   | 1   | MINUS | 3                                     | 0                | x \$42<br>x \$84 | 0.00              |
|   | FEE FOR MULTIPLE CLAIMS \$130/\$260       |       |                                       |                  |                  |                   |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT |   |       |                                       |                  |                  | \$0.00            |

- [ ] Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.  
[ ] A check in the amount of \$ \_ is enclosed to cover the additional fees. (Check \*)  
[ ] A check in the amount of \$ \_ to cover the Extension fee for response within the \* (\*) month is enclosed.  
[ ] Applicants authorize the additional fees in the amount of \$ \_ be charged to Deposit Account No. 20-0095, TAYLOR & AUST, P.C.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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